

Office of the Inspector General

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The Massachusetts Certified Public Purchasing Official (MCPPO) Program

ARE YOU A MEMBER OF A PUBLIC BOARD OR COMMISSION? Know Your Responsibilities

PREREQUISITE: NONE <u>COURSE LEVEL</u>: BASIC

INSTRUCTIONAL METHOD: GROUP-LIVE

This three-hour presentation is essential for every member of a public board, commission, committee or authority (collectively, "public board"), as well as for public officials who regularly interact with public boards. Attendees will learn about some of the tools needed to successfully conduct public board activity, oversee their organizations, and ensure public money is spent appropriately. Attendees will also learn how to identify and prevent fraud, waste and abuse and how to comply with key legal requirements applicable to public boards.

CLASS DATE:

Tuesday, February 5, 2019

5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Town of Marblehead
Marblehead Community Center
10 Humphrey Street
Marblehead, MA 01945

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Topics covered include:

- Fiduciary duties and responsibilities
- Tools for effective oversight
- Essential terms for executives' employment contracts

ADVANCED PREP: NONE

- Preventing and detecting fraud, waste and abuse
- Public Records Law
- Open Meeting Law

Please see our website to download our *Guide for Members of Public Boards and Commissions* at https://

